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## **IRIS TERMS**

**AMOENA.** White or tinted standards, with colored falls.

**BI-COLOR.** Light standards, and deeper contrasting falls.

**BLEND.** A combination or blending of several colors.

**FALLS.** The three lower petals.

**PLICATA.** Stitched or stippled margins on white ground.

**SELF.** An iris of uniform color.

**STANDARDS.** The three upright petals.

**SUBSTANCE.** Thickness of the petals.

**TEXTURE.** Sheen or finish of the petals.

**VARIEGATA.** Yellow, or near yellow standards. Falls, solid tones of brown or purple.

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**ACE OF SPADES** (Salbach). Large, deep violet, almost black. Mid-season. 36".

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**AIGUE MARINE** (Cayeux). An unusual novelty from France. Silver heliotrope standards, and falls of pastel blue, with bright orange beard. Mid-season. 36".

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**ALBA SUPERBA** (J. Sass). A very large, pure white. Tall, well branched, stout stems. Hardy in the coldest climate. Mid-season. 36".

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**ALDURA** (Larsen). Very attractive, large plicata. White, heavily dotted and etched with blue. Firm substance, and good form. Mid-season. 36".

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**AMANDINE** (G. Douglas). A rich cream of good size and fine form. Blooms of heavy substance, and yet dainty in appearance. Withstands all kinds of weather. An iris that has every good quality. Mid-season. 36".

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**AMBER GEM** (Salbach). Large flowers in shades of soft rose, with amber yellow undertone. Perfectly formed blooms, beautifully poised on well branched, tall, stout stems. Vigorous grower, and good increaser. If we were to have only 10 iris in our home garden, Amber Gem would be one of them. Mid-season. 36".

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**AMIGO** (Williamson). Not a new iris, but still one of the best. Standards are clear, light violet, and falls are deep, velvety violet, with lighter edging. Very rich colors. 24" with us, but taller in other sections. Mid-season.

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**AND THOU** (Graves). Pale Wedgewood blue self, with deeper blue in center of bloom. One of the few iris with a blue beard. Good grower. Hardy in severest climate. Mid-season. 36".

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**APPELO PLAIN**. Beautiful and unusual plicata. Standards, deep brownish purple, shading to cream in center. Falls, cream, heavily dotted and stitched with the same color as standards. Blooms of firm substance and good form. Mid-season. 30".

**\$2.00 each**

**ARGUS PHEASANT** (DeForest). A smooth, soft brown self, with immense blooms. Was very popular with visitors who attended the 1949 American Iris Society Convention in Oregon. Wide standards, and broad, flaring falls. Orange brown beard. Good growing habits. Mid-season. 36".

**\$18.00 each**

**AUBANEL** (Cayeux). A really good pink blend from France. Almost a shrimp pink, shading to soft yellow in center. Good sized blooms. Early mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**BERKELEY BLUE** (Salbach). Immense blooms in clear blue self of very smooth finish. Rugged grower and good increaser. One of the earliest in bloom. Very popular with the garden visitors. Early. 36".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**BERKELEY GOLD** (Salbach). Large, clear, deep yellow self, of smooth texture and heavy substance. Tall, well branched stems. Very free bloomer throughout the season. Does not fade. Hardy in severest climate. A top-ranking iris. Mid-season. 36".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**BLACK WINGS**. Standards, deep violet, and falls much darker. Free bloomer. Hardy everywhere. Mid-season. 32".

**35c; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.50**

**BLUE ELEGANCE** (Jory). New onco-hybrid of very large size in two shades of clear blue. Standards, chicory blue. Large, semi-flaring falls of deeper blue, with prominent veining of darker blue. Vigorous grower. Tall, well branched stems. Good growing habits. Very free flowering. Early. 40".

**\$15.00; 2 for \$25.00**

**BLUE RHYTHM** (Whiting). Almost a true Cornflower blue. Handsome flowers of clear color and smooth texture. Tall, well branched stems. Very free bloomer. Vigorous grower, and hardy in any climate. Blooms over a long period. We class this as one of the 10 best iris. Mid-season. 36".

**\$4.00; 3 for \$10.00**

**BLUE SHIMMER** (J. Sass). The finest of all the blue plicatas. White standards, heavily flushed and evenly dotted with blue. Falls the same color, but showing more white. Large blooms of good form, beautifully poised on tall stems, low branched. A high-ranking iris. Hardy, a good grower, and a free bloomer. Mid-season. 36".

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**BRILLIANT AMBER** (Salbach). Immense blooms of heavy substance, in brilliant shades of golden brown and amber, with a suggestion of pink. Standards, deep amber with slight pink cast. Falls, semi-flaring in bright golden brown, with deeper gold veining. Bright yellow beard. Tall, well branched stems. Strong grower. Mid-season. 40".

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**BRONZED COPPER** (Kleinsorge). A brilliant iris in rich shades of copper, gold, and violet. Not large, but very effective in the garden. Mid-season. 24".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50; 10 for \$7.50**

**BRONZINO** (Salbach). Good sized blooms, with golden brown standards, and deep coppery brown falls. Good grower, free bloomer. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**BROWN BOY** (Salbach). Clear, rich brown self of moderate size and good form. Long lasting as a cut flower. Mid-season. 24".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**BRUNHILDE** (Salbach). Large, deep violet blue, with a blue beard. Well branched stems, with many blooms on each stalk. Vigorous grower, free flowering. Sweet scented. Mid-season. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**BRYCE CANYON** (Kleinsorge). Very warm shades of henna-copper, reminding one of the rich colors of the rocks in Bryce Canyon. Well domed standards, and broad, semi-flaring falls. Rich and pleasing colors. Very popular. Mid-season. 36".

**\$3.50 each**

**CALIFORNIA GOLD** (Mitchell). Not new, but still one of the good, bright yellows. Fine grower, hardy everywhere. Mid-season. 30".

**35c; 3 for 90c**

**CALIFORNIA ROSE** (Salbach). Very large, pure old rose self, of perfect form and heavy substance. An iris that has a special appeal to those who prefer soft pink shades. Blooms of fine form, and very pure colors. Very free bloomer, good grower. Hardy. One of our best introductions. Mid-season.

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**CARVED IVORY** (Essig). Beautiful, clear cream-colored iris of fine form, and good growing habits. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**CHAMOIS** (Kleinsorge). A very attractive iris of large size, in a pure chamois self color, without any veining or other markings. Yellow beard, tipped bronze. Well branched, 36" stems. Stock limited. Mid-season.

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**CHANTILLY** (Hall). Nicely ruffled blooms of lavender pink, flushed with gold at the left. The falls are heavily frilled, giving a lacy appearance. Tall, well branched stems. Good substance, and hardy everywhere. Mid-season. 36".

**\$3.50; 3 for \$9.00**

**CHEERIO** (Ayers). A good, bright, bronzy red bi-color—the standards being lighter than the falls. A cheerful note in the garden. Good grower, free bloomer. Very popular. Mid-season. 36".

**35c; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.50**

**CHERIE** (Hall). Lovely, new flamingo pink, with deep tangerine orange beard. Large, somewhat ruffled blooms, of excellent form and fine substance. Taller and larger than most of the new light pinks. In our judgment, this is one of the best of the pinks. Stock limited. Early mid-season. 30".

**\$18.00 each**

**CHINA MAID** (Milliken). Large, perfectly formed blooms of a soft lilac pink, with blending of gold in the center of the blooms. Good grower, and free bloomer. Well branched, 36" stems. Early mid-season.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00**

**CHINA ROSE** (Salbach). An attractive, tall growing, orchid pink of medium size. Good grower, free bloomer. Early. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**CHIPPEWA** (Salbach). A good yellow plicata. Standards, clear, deep yellow, with brown markings near the haft. Falls, yellow, heavily suffused and dotted with brown. Mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**CHIVALRY** (Wills). A very popular blue iris. Clear, medium blue of good size and excellent form. Broad, flaring falls, somewhat ruffled. Nicely branched 30" stems. Vigorous grower, and perfectly hardy. Very free bloomer. Mid-season.

**\$7.50 each**

**CIGARETTE** (Brehm). Pure cream self. Large blooms, perfectly placed on well branched 36" stems. Very popular with our garden visitors. Mid-season.

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**CLOTH OF GOLD** (Whiting). Very bright, deep yellow self, on tall, well branched stems. Blooms of fine form and good substance. Many blooms on each stalk. Fragrant. Mid-season. 36".

**\$2.00 each**

**CLOUD CASTLE** (Graves). Very large, pale wisteria blue. The falls are slightly waved and ruffled, and are broad and widely flaring. Vigorous and hardy. Mid-season. 34".

**\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**COPPER LUSTRE** (Kirkland). Big, soft copper bronze that received the highest award in 1934. Nicely branched stems, good grower, and hardy everywhere. Mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**CROWN PRINCE** (Kleinsorge). Rich variegata, with golden yellow standards, and dark brown, almost black, falls. Good sized, well formed blooms of heavy substance. Mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**DARK KNIGHT** (Salbach). Tall, mahogany red. Perfectly formed blooms, of heavy substance. Well branched stems. Good grower, and free bloomer. Late mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**DAWN OF GOLD** (Salbach). Big, bold iris in deep yellow color. Large, well closed standards, and broad flaring falls of heavy substance. Withstands storm and heat. Sturdy plants. Low branched, stout stems. Late. 36".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

**DAYBREAK** (Kleinsorge). Large blooms in a blending of soft gold and rose, with an undertone of copper. Well formed blooms of good size and firm substance. Nicely branched, 36" stems. Tied for highest award in 1946. Mid-season.

**\$1.25; 3 for \$3.50**

**DEEP VELVET** (Salbach). Rich, deep red violet of large size and good form. Well branched 36" stems. Strong grower, and free bloomer. Mid-season

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

**DEPUTE NOMBLOT.** A very large iris imported from France sometime ago, but still popular. Standards, rosy purple, and falls, rich claret crimson. Good growing habits. Hardy. Late mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**DESERT SKIES** (Salbach). An outstanding, real blue. Chicory blue standards, and deeper blue falls. Tall, well branched stems, with many open blooms on each stalk. We have counted as many as 17 buds and blooms on a single stalk. Very fragrant. Good grower, and free bloomer. Mid-season. 36".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**DESTINY (Stevens).** Fine, large, bronzy purple from New Zealand. Good growing habits, and free bloomer. Mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**DREAM CASTLE** (Cook). Lovely, bright orchid pink in very pure colors. Large blooms, with well domed standards, and wide, somewhat rounded, falls of heavy substance. Vigorous grower, and rapid increaser. Outstanding. Mid-season. 36".

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**EDWARD LAPHAM** (Lapham). An iris that comes nearest to being a real red. Deep crimson self, without any other markings. Not especially large, but very effective in the garden. Mid-season. 30".

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**ELEANOR BLUE** (Salbach). Clear, medium blue, with blending of brown on upper part of the falls. Good sized, well formed blooms. Mid-season. 32".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**ELMOHR** (Loomis). Blooms of immense size, in shades of reddish mulberry. A seedling of Wm. Mohr that is hardy in any climate. Standards, large and round, falls, broad and round, showing considerable veining. Bright, yellow beard. Received highest award in 1945. A sell-out each year. Mid-season. 36".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**ELSA SASS** (H. Sass). Deep cream of good size and excellent form. Well branched, 30" stems. Vigorous grower, and hardy in any climate. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**ESQUIRE** (Lathrop). A fine, deep violet blue self. Perfectly formed blooms of good size, beautifully poised on well branched 36" stems. Three to four blooms open at one time. Mid-season.

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**ETHIOP QUEEN** (Schreiner). Large blooms of deepest violet, almost black. Flowers of good size. Well branched stems. Hardy. Mid-season. 30".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**EXTRAVAGANZA** (Douglas). Creamy white standards; falls, blending of copper-red, lavender, and deep violet, with violet flush down the center. Distinct and beautiful. Late. 36".

**\$6.00; 3 for \$15.00**

**FAIR ELAINE** (Mitchell). A very attractive two-toned yellow. Standards, pale primrose, approaching white. Falls, deep yellow with strong orange beard. Well branched stems, vigorous grower, rapid increaser, and hardy in any climate. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**FANTASY** (Hall). One of the outstanding new pinks. Lovely rose and orchid pink, with bright, tangerine orange beard. The well formed blooms have good substance, and are nicely spaced on well branched 30" stems. Good grower, and hardy. Early mid-season.

**\$15.00 each**

**FIRECRACKER** (Hall). A very distinct, new pli-cata. Standards deep burgundy red, with gold undertone. Falls, slightly deeper color, heavily stippled and dotted with light yellow, and with a prominent dash of deep yellow in center of falls. Hardy in extreme climate. Mid-season. 30".

**\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**FRANK ADAMS** (Lapham). Large bi-color of distinction. Standards, fawn, falls, semi-flaring of crushed strawberry pink. Tall, nicely branched stems. Hardy in severest climate. Mid-season. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**FRIEDA MOHR** (Mohr-Mitchell). One of the earliest introductions that still stands alone in its color class. Large, orchid pink of perfect form. Tall and stately. Delightfully fragrant. Fine for mass planting. Mid-season to late. 48".

**35c; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.50**

**GARDEN GLORY** (Whiting). Pure, rich bordeaux red self, without any haft markings. Heavy substance and smooth texture, with a deep bronze gold beard. Near to a true red. Recipient of many awards. Mid-season. 30".

**\$4.00; 3 for \$10.00**

**GARDEN MAGIC** (Grinter). Deep velvety red, almost maroon. Well formed blooms of good size and smooth texture. Free flowering, hardy in coldest climate. Mid-season. 40".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**GAY SENORITA** (Salbach). Big, bold variegata, with large round standards of deep honey yellow, and broad semi-flaring falls of golden yellow, heavily overlaid deep brown. Tall, well branched stems. Early mid-season.

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**GIBSON GIRL** (J. M. Gibson). Fine, new, free blooming plicata. Rosy heliotrope on light yellow background. Large, well formed blooms of excellent substance, on nicely branched, 36" stems. Mid-season.

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**GIRIDIAN'S CHOICE** (Salbach). Deep, rich violet bi-color. Standards, light violet, and broad falls of deep pansy violet. Well branched stems, generous bloomer, and good growing habits. Mid-season. 40".

**75c; 3 for \$1.85; 10 for \$5.00**

**GOLDEN BEAR** (Mitchell). Clear, rich, golden yellow that does not fade. Fine form, and good substance. Well branched, 36" stems. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**GOLDEN EAGLE** (Hall). Very large, bright yellow self, with smooth satiny finish. Blooms nicely placed on perfectly branched 36" stems. Mid-season.

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**GOLDEN MAJESTY** (Salbach). Introduced in 1938, and still one of the best yellows. Large blooms of firm substance in clear, medium deep yellow. Well branched, 40" stems. Vigorous grower, free bloomer, and hardy in severest climate. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**GOLDEN RUFFLES** (Taylor). Large, clear, smooth yellow self, with ruffled edges. Broad standards and falls. Firm substance, well branched, 36" stems. Vigorous grower, and generous bloomer. First prize at Hollywood iris show in 1946. Early mid-season.

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**GRACE MOHR** (Jory). A. Wm. Mohr seedling with tall stems and large blooms. Both standards and falls are deep lavender violet. Standards are veined a deep manganese violet. Falls have prominent veining of soft cream. Good growing habits. Mid-season. 48".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**GRAND CANYON** (Kleinsorge). Big blooms in subdued plum and copper. Bright gold beard and gold shading on upper part of falls. Very pleasing color effect. Well branched, 38" stems. Good growing habits. Mid-season.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**GREAT LAKES** (Cousins). A very large, clear, light blue from Canada, that ranks with the best. Blooms of fine form and firm substance are held on low branching 48" stems. Rugged grower, rapid increaser and the blooms are delightfully fragrant. Received the highest award in 1942. Mid-season.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**GREEN PASTURES** (A. H. Heller). Very large blooms of chartreuse yellow, with a suggestion of blue at the beard. Tall, well branched stems. Very attractive. Mid-season. 40".

**\$4.00 each**

**GYPSY** (Kleinsorge). Coppery gold standards, and falls of chestnut brown. Medium sized blooms, and good form. Strong stems. Rich colors. Late mid-season. 36". **\$1.50 each**

**HAPPY DAYS** (Mitchell). This breath-taking, big soft yellow is one of the most popular of all iris. Blooms are very large, but not coarse. Perfectly branched, each stalk carrying seven or eight blooms. Mid-season. 40".

**35c; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.50**

**HELEN McGREGOR** (Graves). Exceptionally large, clear medium blue, that received the highest award in 1949. Perfectly formed, and somewhat ruffled. Very heavy substance, rampant grower, and free bloomer. Stands all kinds of weather. Mid-season. 36".

**\$8.00; 3 for \$17.50**

**ICE KING** (Harold Johnson). Immense, tall growing white with a decided blue undertone. Beautifully ruffled standards, and large waved falls with ruffled edges. Light blue buds, and creamy white beard. Well branched stems. Delightfully sweet scented. Very vigorous grower. Early mid-season. 40".

**7.50; 3 for \$17.50**

**ICY BLUE** (Weed). Large white, with a light blue overcast. Very clear tones. Blooms are nicely spaced on well branched 50" stems. Could almost be classed as a light blue. Very popular. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**INSPIRATION** (Stevens). A variety from New Zealand that has become very popular. Blooms of immense size in rich shades of rose. The color is vivid and has good carrying qualities. Large blooms of good form on 36" stems. Mid-season. **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**JEAN CAYEUX** (Cayeux). Beautiful blending of coffee brown and gold. An importation from France that is still in a class by itself. Very distinct. Mid-season. 34".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**JUNALUSKA** (Kirkland). Best described as a "blended red." Standards, yellow suffused bronze, with deep velvety maroon falls, and a strong orange beard. A striking iris, and very effective in the garden. Blooms over a long period. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**KATHERINE FAY** (Fay). Large, clear white that is hardy in any climate. Blooms of heavy substance, and fine form. Strong, well branched stems. Free bloomer. Mid-season. 35"

**\$2.50; 3 for \$5.00**

**LADY BOSCAWEN** (Graves). Perfectly hardy, pure ruffled white that has withstood some of the severest eastern winters. Broad, fluted standards, and broad, flaring falls. Strong grower. Mid-season. 36".

**\$6.50 each**

**LADY MOHR** (Salbach). Bred from an Oncocyclus Hybrid to a Bearded Iris, Lady Mohr has inherited the best qualities from both parents. From the seed parent, we have hardiness, branching, and height of stems. From the pollen parent, we have large, rounded standards and falls. The color combination is very unusual. The standards are oyster shell white, and the big, round falls are pale chartreuse, or greenish yellow, with prominent veining, and a dark patch of red violet surrounding the beard. Very free flowering, and remains in bloom over a long period of time. We have had blooms from early April to mid-May. Has proven hardy, and withstands heat, wind, hot sun, and rain. A unique and beautiful iris. Early and late. 36". **\$2.50; 3 for \$6.50**

**LADY OF SHALOTT** (Schreiner). A plicata in delicate shades of pink. Standards, heavily flushed rose pink; falls, creamy white, edged with peppering of pinkish dots. Good sized blooms, well branched stems. Hardy everywhere. Mid-season. 34". **75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**LIGHTHOUSE** (Salbach). Bright, old rose blend. Standards, a blend of rose and yellow; falls, coppery old rose, with bright golden beard, and glowing center. Low branched stems. Flowers of good size. Perfectly hardy. Late. 36". **50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**LORD DONGAN** (Smith). Standards, rich Chinese violet. Broad, rounded falls of deep velvety pansy—violet, without other markings. Intense yellow beard. Mid-season. 30".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**LORI MAY** (De Forest). Good sized blooms of clear orchid pink and rose. Firm substance. Stems branched a bit high. Pleasing color. Especially fine for clump effect. Mid-season. 30". **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**LOS ANGELES** (Mitchell). Introduced some years ago, but still near the top in white plicatas. Large, white blooms of fine form and good substance, faintly edged blue, with blue style arms. Tall, low branched stems. Hardy, vigorous grower. Early. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**LOUISE BLAKE** (Kenneth Smith). One of the best new amoenas. Light blue standards. Broad, flaring falls of deep, rich violet, edged light blue. Outstanding and beautiful. Mid-season. 24". **\$2.50; 3 for \$6.50**

**LUCERNE** (Salbach). Large, deep blue, almost a self. Standards slightly lighter than the falls. Blooms of heavy substance, beautifully poised on tall, well branched stems. Good growing habits, free bloomer. Very clear colors. A fine blue. Mid-season. 36".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

**MAGIC CARPET** (Schreiner). Very attractive, new plicata, in shades of rose and cream. Standards, cream, flushed rose. Broad, semi-flaring falls of cream, with heavy overlay and shading of rose. Blooms of good size and form, nicely branched 33" stems. Free bloomer. Mid-season.

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00; 10 for \$15.00**

**MARY E. NICHOLLS** (Nicholls). Very smooth, creamy white of good size and fine form. Prolific bloomer and rapid increaser. Hardy everywhere. Scented like orange blossoms. Mid-season. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**MATULA** (H. Sass). Pleasing blend of rose, orange, apricot-red, and buff. Nicely formed flowers of good substance. Rugger grower. Hardy. Mid-season. 40"

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.50**

**MEERSCHAUM** (Salbach). Medium sized blooms. Color of Meerschaum pipe, with prominent veining of a deeper shade. Unusual color. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.50**

**MELITZA** (Nesmith). Blooms of moderate size, in delicate ivory, with a slight pink cast. Intense pinkish tangerine orange beard. Tall, well branched stems. Mid-season. 40".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**MELLOWGLOW** (Whiting). Perfectly formed blooms in peach and apricot, beautifully placed on tall stems. Standards, wide and well closed. Falls, broad and rounded. Smooth finish. Very prolific bloomer. Mid-season. 40".

**\$4.00 each**

**MELODY LANE** (Hall). New, bright, glistening golden apricot, with a brilliant tangerine orange beard. Large blooms of good form, somewhat ruffled. Sturdy grower. Hardy. Early. 36".

**\$15.00 each**

**MEXICO** (Kleinsorge). Brilliant blended bi-color with golden buff standards, and broad falls of red brown. Standards rather tall, but remain closed. Falls somewhat waved at edges. The form reminds one of a Mexican straw hat. Late. 40".

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**MINNIE COLQUITT** (H. Sass). An unusual, brilliant plicata of large size. Standards and falls white, bordered with wine purple. Blooms of firm substance held on well branched stems. Mid-season. 36".

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**MISS CALIFORNIA** (Salbach). Beautiful, entirely distinct iris in lively orchid pink shades. Large, well formed blooms on 48" stems. Vigorous grower, good increaser. Free bloomer. Early mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**MISSOURI** (Grinter). Fine, large blue, with smooth, enamel-like finish. Nice form and good substance. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**MME. LOUIS AUREAU.** A French variety that is both unique and beautiful. Standards, silvery white, overlaid with a rosy heliotrope. Falls, slightly deeper, heavily sanded and stitched with deeper heliotrope. Mid-season. 34".

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**MME. MAURICE LASSAILLY.** Blue bi-color of good size and fine form. Standards, bright lilac, and falls, deep violet, with lighter edging. Rich color combination. Mid-season. 30".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

**MOKI** (Thole). Large, brownish bronze of good form and fine growing habits. Very free bloomer. Rhizomes never large. Early mid-season. 30".

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**MONADNOCK** (Salbach). One of the few iris in rose red shades. Good sized blooms, on tall, well branched stems. Good grower, and generous producer of fine large blooms. Late. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**MORNING BLUE** (Jory). Another blue onco-hybrid, somewhat similar to Blue Elegance, but a different shade of blue. Big, clear lavender blue, with deeper blue veining on both standards and falls. Standards, large and round. Broad, semi-flaring falls of good substance. Sturdy grower. Free bloomer. Well branched stems. Early. 40".

**\$15.00 each**

**MOROCCO ROSE** (Loomis). A good sized, rose pink self, with soft yellow glow in center of blooms. Good grower. Hardy everywhere. Not new, but still much in demand. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**MOUNT WASHINGTON** (Essig). Very large, clear white, with bright golden yellow beard. Flowers of fine form and heavy substance, withstanding rain and heat. Well branched, stout, 50" stems. Sweet scented. Vigorous grower, and hardy. Mid-season.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**MULBERRY ROSE** (Schreiner). Lovely, rich mulberry rose color. Big blooms of heavy substance. Exceptionally well branched stems. Beautiful and distinct. We sell short on this iris each year. Mid-season. 40".

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**NARADA** (Brehm). Large, medium light blue self. Fine form, and good growing habits. Exceptionally free bloomer. Fine for mass planting. Rapid increaser. Late 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**NASSAK** (H. Sass). Very large, blue white pli-cata. White, with blue stitching. Well branched, 40" stems. Hardy in severest climate. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**OLA KALA** (J. Sass). Very rich, deep orange yellow self, of good size and form. Blooms are slightly ruffled, and are of heavy substance, withstanding rain and heat. Winner of highest award in 1948. Mid-season. 30".

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00; 10 for \$12.50**

**OLD PARCHMENT** (Kleinsorge). Light creamy tan, with golden buff overlay. Well formed blooms of good size and firm substance. The blooms are extremely large and last over a long period. Unusual and interesting color. Mid-season.30".

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**OLD ROSE** (Salbach). Large, beautiful, old rose self, except that the falls shade to a soft cardinal near the haft. Blooms of excellent form and fine substance are held high above the foliage. One of the really good varieties of this color class. Mid-season. 40".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**ORANGE FLAME** (Salbach). Colors are brilliant golden orange and copper. Blooms of fine form and good substance. Very effective in the garden. Late mid-season. 30".

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**ORCHID LADY** (Salbach). Lively shades of orchid and lilac pink. Color is more pink under artificial light. Large blooms of fine form and firm substance. Well branched 40" stems. Good cut flower. Late.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

**OREGON TRAIL** (Kleinsorge). An attractive, large iris in brown and gold shading. Blooms of good form and firm substance. Late. 38".

**\$1.25; 3 for \$3.50**

**ORIENTAL SPLENDOR.** See page 2.

**ORMOHR** (Kleinsorge). One of the most outstanding iris ever produced. Very large blooms, with both rounded standards and falls. Color is a silvery lilac, heavily veined with a deeper color. Well branched 36" stems. Blooms of firm substance and fine form. Hardy. Early mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**OURAY** (Thomas). Not large, but very colorful. Bright, ruby red self. Very popular. Rhizomes are always small. Mid-season. 24".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**OZONE** (J. Sass). A very distinct iris in pearly mauve to lavender, with warm coppery brown throughout the center of the flower. Nice blending of colors. Mid-season. 30".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**PACIFIC SUNSET** (Salbach). Standards of old rose, with gold shading on lower half. Falls of firm substance are bright amaranth pink. Strong gold beard. Withstands storm and rain. Well branched 36" stems. Mid-season.

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**PAINTED DESERT** (Milliken). Unusual coloring such as one sees on the Arizona Desert. Soft blending of tan and brown, with a suggestion of violet. Strong grower. Mid-season. 48".

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**PEACH GLOW** (Kleinsorge). A very pleasing peach pink. Blooms of medium size, perfectly formed, held on well branched 30" stems. Mid-season.

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**PERSIA.** An iris that is difficult to describe, especially as to colors. We would call it a satisfying blend of bluish lavender and steel blue, with brown haft markings. Large blooms of fine form and good substance. Healthy grower, and free bloomer. Mid-season. 36". **50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**PERSIAN PRINCE** (H. Sass). One of the best variegatas. Bright yellow standards, and deep chestnut brown falls. Well branched, 34" stems. Hardy in coldest climate. Mid-season. **75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**PIERRE MENARD** (Faught). This new blue has been classified by one of the most prominent authorities on iris as being "as fine a medium blue as can be raised." The standards are a clear hyacinth blue. The falls are broad and flaring, and are a campanula violet. The yellow beard is surrounded by a dash of light hyacinth blue. The blooms are nicely spaced on stout, 36" stems. Mid-season. **\$17.50 each**

**PINK LACE** (J. Sass). One of the finest of the really pink iris. A light pink self, with bright tangerine orange beard. Blooms of medium size. Mid-season. 30". **\$4.00; 3 for \$10.00**

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**PRESIDENT PILKINGTON.** A splendid blend from France. Standards, slightly smoked buff, with heavy suffusion of gold. Falls, soft violet. Big, well formed blooms. An especially good grower, and very free bloomer. Mid-season. 36". **50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**PRISCILLA** (Whiting). A pure white, without any other markings, even the beard is white. Standards, rather round, with broad, flaring falls. Very pure, and of good size. Mid-season. 30". **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50; 10 for \$7.50**

**PURISSIMA** (Mohr-Mitchell). Introduced a number of years ago, this remarkable iris is still the most perfect, clear white. Nicely formed, clear white flowers, beautifully poised on tall stems. An ideal iris for a mild climate, but needs winter protection where the winters are extremely cold. Early. 50".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**RADIANT** (Salbach). Strikingly brilliant, an iris that always commands attention. Burnished orange and coppery red are the predominating colors. Medium sized blooms on 30" stems. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**RADIANT KNIGHT** (Salbach). Fine, late blooming variety. Standards, clear orange brown. Falls, coppery orange. Good form, firm substance. Stands heat and rain. Late 36".

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**RADIATION** (Hall). One of the outstanding, new, deep pinks, with tangerine orange beard. Deep orchid pink of good size, fine form, and firm substance. Attracts immediate attention in the garden. Unlike any of the other new pinks. Good grower, and hardy. Early mid-season. 32". **\$15.00; 3 for \$40.00**

**RAEJEAN** (Whiting). Attractive, two-toned yellow. Standards are somewhat deeper than the falls, which are edged gold. Generous bloomer. A bright note in the garden. Late. 36". **75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.00**

**RED AMBER** (Loomis). Soft, rosy red, with copper undertone. Tall, well branched stems. Excellent form, and good substance. Mid-season. 30". **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**RED DOMINION.** Standards, violet red. Falls, rich velvety purple-red, nearly black. Not new, but still popular. Large flowers, with fine velvety finish. Mid-season. 36".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**RED TORCH** (H. Sass). Brilliant, richly colored variegata. Standards are a luminous reddish buff, and the broad, flaring falls are deep mahogany red, without other markings. Rich brown beard. Good grower. Free bloomer. Hardy. Mid-season. 36".

**Each \$4.00; 3 for \$10.00**

**RED VALOR** (Nicholls). Deep garnet red self, of large size and fine form. Tall stems, with low branching. Blooms of smooth texture and heavy substance. Vigorous grower. Received the Gold Medal award in Italy in 1940. Mid-season. 36". **\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**RED VELVET** (Kleinsorge). As near a real red as any of the later introductions. Blooms of good size and fine form. Smooth, velvety texture. A sell-out each year. Mid-season. 30".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**ROCKET** (Whiting). Large, brilliant orange-chrome self, of ideal form, and firm substance. Well branched, 36" stems. Very rich colors. One of the very best of the new introductions. Mid-season. **\$8.00 each**

**ROSE PEARL** (Salbach). Very attractive, low growing, long blooming bi-color. The large, round standards are a creamy pink, and the broad, round, semi-flaring falls are buff pink, shading to gold near the haft. An appealing color combination. Well branched, 28" stems. Very popular. Mid-season.

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**ROSE TOP** (H. Sass). A very distinct, new pink plicata. The ground color is creamy white, with heavily flushed and dotted rose pink edging. Mid-season. 30". **\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**ROSY RUFFLES** (Rees). Large, somewhat ruffled blooms in pleasing shades of rosy pink. Tall, well branched stems, with from three to five blooms open at one time. Long lasting when cut. Fragrant. Mid-season. 40".

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**RUBEO** (Mitchell). Rugged plants, with huge flowers, beautifully poised on strong, 48" stems. Standards, deep glistening rose. Broad falls of deep maroon and heavy substance. Mid-season. **50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**RUTH POLLOCK** (H. Sass). A fine, yellow plicata. Standards, brownish red, suffused and stippled yellow. Falls, clear yellow, edged and dotted with brownish red. Low branching stems. Good grower. Hardy. Mid-season. 28". **50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SABLE** (Cook). Uniform shade of deepest blue-black, almost black, with a blue beard. Large blooms on well branched, 36" stems. The most popular of any of the dark iris. Mid-season. **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**SAN FRANCISCO** (Mitchell). Big, white plicata, of excellent form and firm substance. Both standards and falls are distinctly edged and dotted with blue. The upper part of the falls has a shading of brown. Sturdy grower, but needs some winter protection in extremely cold climates. Mid-season. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SEA LARK** (Muhlestein). Large, clear, slate blue, with a flush of purple in the center of both standards and falls. Distinct, blue beard. A splendid new blue. Mid-season. 30".

**\$5.00; 3 for \$12.50**

**SHERIFFA** (White). Outstanding, oncocyclus hybrid. Medium sized blooms of brilliant, metallic violet, with distinct blue blaze on the falls. Most unusual. Early mid-season. 36".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50; 10 for \$7.50**

**SHINING WATERS** (Essig). Few iris come as near perfection as Shining Waters. A very bright, clear, light blue self, on 40" low branched stems. As many as twelve blooms and buds on a single stalk. A vigorous grower which produces blooms in abundance. Needs some protection in extremely cold regions. There is no better light blue. Early mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SIERRA BLUE** (Essig). A tall growing, deep blue self, that is perfectly hardy in the severest climate. Large, well formed blooms of firm substance. Vigorous grower and rapid increaser. Mid-season. 50".

**35c; 3 for 90c; 10 for \$2.50**

**SIERRA SNOW** (Kleinsorge). This fine, late blooming, white iris has fine form and firm substance, and well branched, 40" stems. It is a good grower, a free bloomer, and hardy. Late. **50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SNOQUALMIE** (Brehm). Pronounced Snow-Kwal-Me. Rich, creamy yellow of good size and fine form. Very vigorous grower, and fast increaser. No better light yellow in the low price bracket. Mid-season. 40".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SNOW FLURRY** (Rees). No other white iris has had as much favorable comment as Snow Flurry. The individual blooms, large and beautifully ruffled, are as perfect as any we have ever seen. Standards are a pure, icy white, and the large, wavy falls are a clear white. Buds have a slight blue cast. Snow Flurry is an exceptionally fine seed parent. Few iris are more deliciously scented. Mid-season. 50".

**\$1.25; 3 for \$3.50; 10 for \$10.00**

**SNOW MAIDEN**. We have frequent requests for low growing, border iris. Snow Maiden is perfect for this purpose. Clear white, not over 12" in height. Blooms very early. Hardy in any climate. Early.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**SOLID MAHOGANY** (J. Sass). Well named, as the flower is a real, smooth mahogany red. Big blooms of good substance. One of the deepest of the mahogany reds. Excellent form, good grower, and perfectly hardy. Mid-season. 36".

**\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**SONRISA** (De Forest). Coppery pink with yellow undertone, giving the flower a metallic finish. Large, with somewhat rounded falls. Mid-season. 36".

**\$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

**SORREL TOP** (Mitchell). A most unusual plicata. As the name would indicate, the standards are brownish rose, with a yellow undertone. The falls are creamy white, heavily edged and stippled with brownish rose. Nice form, strong stems, and good growing habits. Very distinct. Mid-season. 36". **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**SPANISH PEAKS** (Loomis). Immense, clear white self, even the beard being white. Both standards and falls are beautifully ruffled. Well branched, 36" stems. A fine white. Late mid-season. **\$12.50 each**

**SPINDRIFT** (Loomis). One of the first of the new, true pinks, with a tangerine orange beard. Blooms of moderate size in delicate shell pink. Low branched, 30" stems. Good growing habits. Free flowering. Very effective in the garden. Hardy. Mid-season.

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**SPRING CLOUD** (Jory). Large, well formed white plicata, with heavy stippling and suffusion of blue on both standards and falls. Vigorous grower. Mid-season. 50".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**STARDOM** (Hall). A large, clear, golden brown self of good form and heavy substance. Blooms nicely placed on 30" stems. Bright orange beard. Colors are rich and appealing. Free flowering. Hardy. Mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**STATEN ISLAND** (Kenneth Smith). In our judgment, this is near the top of the list of new variegatas. Very bright, sharp, contrasting colors. Standards are bright yellow, and falls very rich reddish brown. Fine form, well branched stems, good growing habits, and hardy. Mid-season. 30".

**\$10.00; 3 for \$25.00**

**SULTAN'S ROBE** (Salbach). An outstanding iris in a rich blending of copper, gold, old rose, and red. Standards, deep vandyke red to old rose. Wide, flaring falls, the same color as the standards, with a bright dash of violet blue in the center, and an edging of brown. In the distance, the whole effect is that of red. Sultan's Rose has proven to be a fine seed parent. Mid-season. 36".

**\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**THE ADMIRAL** (Hall). Intense, medium blue of large size, fine form, and firm substance. Withstands sun, wind, or rain equally well, and is perfectly hardy in any climate. Free bloomer. Makes a fine clump effect. Mid-season. 36".

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**THE RED DOUGLAS** (J. Sass). Large blooms in deep wine red color, with rich orange beard. Smooth texture, and firm substance. Nicely branched, 40" stems. Fine growing habits, and perfectly hardy in the severest climates. Mid-season.

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**TIFFANJA** (DeForest). Very large, new plicata. Soft golden buff standards; creamy white falls, edged golden buff, with a sprinkling of light golden brown near the edges. Very harmonious and pleasing colors. Good form, and firm substance. Well branched, 40" stems. Early mid-season. **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**TOBACCO ROAD** (Kleinsorge). Big, clear, golden tobacco brown self, with the falls slightly lighter in color. Good form, with horizontal falls of heavy substance. Well branched, 30" stems. Mid-season. **\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**TOP SCORE** (Salbach 1949). A brilliant variegata that is in a class by itself. Large blooms of fine form and firm substance. Low branched, 32" stems. Standards, clear, bright deep yellow. Somewhat rounded falls in shades of rich chestnut brown, to mahogany, distinctly edged with deep yellow. Fine growing habits, and a very free bloomer over a long period. Distinct and colorful in the garden. One of our best introductions.

**\$7.50; 3 for \$17.50**

**TOWER OF JEWELS** (Salbach). Very tall, large iris in beautiful blending of gold, yellow, and mauve. Especially low branched stems. Beautiful and distinct. Mid-season. 50".

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**VATICAN PURPLE** (Whiting). A large, deep blue-purple self of fine form and good substance. The blooms have a very smooth, satiny finish, and do not spot or fade in adverse weather. Vigorous grower, and free bloomer. Hardy. Mid-season. 30".

**\$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

**WABASH** (Williamson). Received the highest award in 1940. Still the best of the Amoenas. Standards, snow white, with rich, velvety, deep violet falls. Blooms slightly ruffled. Tall stems, branched a bit high. No other iris commands as much attention as Wabash. Mid-season. 40". **50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**WHITE GODDESS** (Nesmith). A large, pure white of fine form. Tall, well branched stems. Good grower, and free bloomer. Hardy. Mid-season. 36".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00**

**WHITE OAKDALE** (Hoisholt). Pure, creamy white of good proportion, and of immense size. Both standards and falls are slightly ruffled. Mid-season. 40". **50c; 3 for \$1.25**

**WHITE WEDGEWOOD** (Grant). Porcelain white of good size, with blue at the base of the beard. Good form and smooth texture. Sturdy, 30", well branched stems. Mid-season.

**\$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

**WILLIAM A. SETCHELL** (Brehm). One of the largest of all iris. Actual measurement shows the flower to be 7" tall, with immense falls 3½" to 4" long. Standards, steel blue; falls, deep violet blue. The blooms hold up well. Large, vigorous plants. Mid-season. 40".

**75c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50**

## SPECIAL IRIS COLLECTIONS

(All sent prepaid.)

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**Bronzed Copper**—Very rich gold and violet blend.

**China Maid**—Pink.

**Dark Knight**—Mahogany Red.

**Deep Velvet**—Deep, velvety violet.

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ONE EACH of 10 fine iris, separately labeled, for **\$5.00**. (Catalog value—\$7.00.)

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**Magic Carpet**—Fine plicata.

**Ola Kala**—Deep yellow.

**Pink Lace**—Light pink with deep tangerine pink beard.

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**Blue Horizon**—Big, clear violet blue. Late flowering.

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New strain of DUTCH IRIS, that has just been offered. Larger blooms, and new and richer colors.

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**AUREA** (Spuria family). Tall, deep yellow self. Fall delivery. Late mid-season.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

**NEW BLUE** (Siberian family). This iris was sent to us without a name, hence we named it New Blue. Rich, turquoise blue self. One of the best of the Siberians. Mid-season.

**\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

**PERRY'S BLUE** (Siberian family). Beautiful flowers of light lavender blue. Ideal for borders, or for clump effect. From 18" to 20" high.

**50c; 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.75**

## DAFFODILS

We pay postage on all shipments to Western States, including Montana, Wyoming, Colorado and New Mexico. Please add 2c per bulb for all shipments to points East of these states.

We are offering mostly double nose bulbs, which produce more flower stalks than those listed as rounds.

### LONG CUP VARIETIES

**CARLTON** (double nose bulbs). Very large blooms on tall stems. Perianth deep primrose yellow. Broad frilled, deep yellow cup. One of the best.

**3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 50 for \$8.50**

**FORTUNE** (round bulbs). Broad creamy yellow perianth. Beautifully frilled, glowing orange cup. **40c each; 3 for \$1.10; 12 for \$4.00**

**HELIOS** (double nosed bulbs). Deep golden yellow perianth. Medium long orange cup.

**3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 50 for \$7.50**

**KING ALFRED** (double nose bulbs). Very large deep golden yellow self. Early.

**3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 50 for \$8.50**

**LUCINIUS** (double nose bulbs). Semi-long frilled deep yellow cup. Primrose yellow perianth. Late. **3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 50 for \$8.50**

**SILVER STAR** (round bulbs). Creamy white perianth, light yellow cup. Very free bloomer.

**3 for 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 50 for \$8.50**

**TUNIS** (double nose bulbs). Very large creamy white self, except the long frilled trumpet is flushed a pale coppery gold at the edge. One of the finest. Early.

**40c each; 3 for \$1.10; 12 for \$4.00**

### SHORT CUPPED VARIETIES

**ALCIDA** (double nose bulbs). Pure white perianth with short brilliant, frilled yellow cup. Late. One of the best short cupped varieties.

**3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.50; 50 for \$8.50**

**JOHN EVELYN** (double nose bulbs). Perianth, pure white. Big short frilled deep primrose yellow cup. Very popular.

**3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50; 50 for \$12.50**

**TWINK** (double nose bulbs). Double of the semi-full type. Petals alternating soft primrose and orange. Free flowering. One of the best.

**3 for 90c; 12 for \$3.00**

## JONQUILS

**ORANGE QUEEN** (round bulbs). Intense orange self. Several blooms on each stem. Free flowering. **3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.00; 50 for \$7.50**

**TREVITHIAN (Jonquil Hybrid)** (round bulbs). Pale yellow self. Very free flowering, producing several sweetly scented blooms on each stalk. Very popular.

**3 for 60c; 12 for \$1.75**

## TULIPS

**BRONZE QUEEN**—Large bronze.  
**DUKE OF WELLINGTON**—Tall white.  
**G. W. LEAK**—Bright scarlet.  
**INGLESCOMB YELLOW**—Deep yellow.  
**PRIDE OF HAARLEM**—Rosy red.  
**SCOTCH LASSIE**—Big deep lavender.

## PARROT TULIPS

**FANTASY**—Finest parrot tulip. Large, wide open pink blooms, streaked with green. Laciniated petals.

**BLUE PARROT**—Immense heliotrope blue.  
ANY of the above tulips:

**3 for 50c; 12 for \$1.75**

ALL LARGE BULBS

## HYACINTHS

All large size bulbs.

**DR. LEIBER**—Early lavender.  
**GERTRUDE**—Rosy pink.  
**KING OF THE BLUES**—Deep blue.  
**L'INNOCENCE**—Pure white.  
**LA VICTOIRE**—Deep carmine rose.  
**PINK PEARL**—Deep pink.  
ANY of the above:

**30c each; 3 for 80c; 12 for \$3.00**

## SELECTED DAHLIA SEED

All the dahlia seed we offer is grown by us, and is selected from the best known seed parents.

### LARGE FLOWERING DAHLIAS.

**Pkt. (50 seeds) \$1.50  
Pkt. (100 seeds )\$2.50**

**MINIATURE DAHLIAS.** Mostly cactus type.  
Blooms from 2½ to 3½ inches in diameter.  
**Pkt. (100 seeds) 25c; 3 for 65c**

**DWARF BEDDING DAHLIAS.** Mostly semi-double, in bright shades of red, rose, pink, and yellow. Fine for mass effect. **Pkt. 25c; 3 for 65c**

# FLOWER SEEDS

## DELPHINIUM

(Pacific Strain)

The Pacific Strain, developed by Frank Reinelt, produces perfect, well balanced spikes from 4 to 8 feet high, with individual florets 2 to 3 inches in diameter. Very clear, rich colors. Seeds should be started in flats, and transplanted to the open ground when the plants are 3 to 4 inches high.

**BLUE JAY**—Clear, blue with contrasting bee.

**GALAHAD**—Pure white.

**GUINEVERE**—Light lavender with white bee.

**KING ARTHUR**—Brilliant royal violet.

### BALANCED MIXTURE—

Composed of above shades:

Hand-pollinated seed

**Half pkt. (200 seeds) \$1.25**

**Full pkt. (400 seeds) \$2.50**

Self-pollinated seed

**Full pkt. 50c**

## AQUILEGIA

(Columbine)

A hardy perennial that thrives in part shade. Fine strain in clear colors. Seeds planted in early summer will bloom the following spring. Pink, blue, or mixed (orange, pink, rose, white) colors.

**Pkt. 25c; 3 for 65c**

## COLORED BROOM

Shrubs that grow from 6 to 8 feet high, and are literally covered with small pea-shaped flowers in red, pink, gold, apricot, brown, and rose shades. Prefer well drained, sunny location. Can be grown on the Pacific Coast, and where winters are not too severe.

**Pkt. 50c**

## HELIANTHEMUM

(Sun Rose)

Dwarf evergreen perennial, covered with 1 to 2-inch bright blossoms resembling single roses. Shades of pink, soft rose, apricot, orange, and yellow. The seeds we offer are from selected plants.

**Pkt. 25c**

## PANSY

We offer one of the very best strains. Large blooms of good substance, and rich colors. Good growing habits and free flowering.

**Pkt. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

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Amigo	Elsa Sass	Melitta	Pacific Sunset
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Brown Boy	Frieda Mohr	Mme. Louis Aureau	Rose Pearl
Brunhilde	Golden Majesty	Morocco Rose	Rubeo
California Gold	Happy Days	Mount Washington	Ruth Pollock
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Copper Lustre	Junaluska	Old Parchment	Sierra Blue
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California Rose	3.00	Lady Boscowen	5.00	Rose Top	1.50
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Chantilly	2.00	Lady of Shalott	.75	Sable	1.00
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Cloth of Gold	1.50	Melody Lane	10.00	Sorrel Top	1.00
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Daybreak	1.00	Minnie Colquitt	1.50	Spindrift	1.50
Dream Castle	3.50	Morning Blue	10.00	Staten Island	8.00
Edward Lapham	1.50	Mulberry Rose	1.00	Sultan's Robe	2.00
Elmohr	1.00	Ola Kala	1.00	The Admiral	.75
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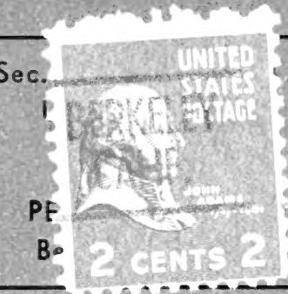
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